

STATE OF MICHIGAN

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT  
Environmental Stewardship Division

**Notice of Drainage Board Meeting  
for the Determination of Practicability**

(In accordance with P.A. 40, of 1956, as amended)

**BLANCHARD INTERCOUNTY DRAIN**

**Notice is hereby given**, that on May 6, 2015, a petition was filed with Richard Jakubiec, Isabella County Drain Commissioner, praying for the cleaning out, relocating, widening, deepening, straightening, tiling, extending or relocating along a highway of a drain known and designated as the Blanchard Intercounty Drain.

**Whereas**, the Drainage District for the Blanchard Intercounty Drain includes lands within the following counties and their respective municipalities: Isabella County: Rolland Township; Mecosta County: Millbrook Township and

**Whereas**, a certified copy of said petition was served upon Jackie Fitzgerald, Mecosta County Drain Commissioner; and Jamie Clover Adams, Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development; by Richard Jakubiec, Isabella County Drain Commissioner.

**Now therefore**, in accordance with P.A. 40, of 1956, as amended, a Drainage Board meeting of the Blanchard Intercounty Drain will be held on **October 8, 2015**, at **10:00 a.m.**, at **Millbrook Township Hall, 3015 Jackson Road**, in the Village of Blanchard, County of Mecosta, to determine the practicability of said improvement.

**Now therefore**, all persons owning lands liable to an assessment for benefits, or whose lands will be crossed by said drain, or any municipality affected, are requested to be present at said meeting, if they so desire. Public comment will be received at the meeting. Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in the meeting should contact the Drain Commissioner in the county which they reside at the number noted below (voice) at least one week in advance of the meeting to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance. If anyone wishes to submit written comments **prior** to the date of the meeting, or has any questions regarding this notice, they may contact the following County Drain Commissioners' offices:

Richard Jakubiec  
Isabella County  
Drain Commissioner  
200 North Main Street  
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858  
989.772.0911, ext. 247

Jackie Fitzgerald  
Mecosta County  
Drain Commissioner  
County Services Building, Room 105  
14485 Northland Drive  
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Dated at Lansing, Michigan, September 21, 2015.

Jamie Clover Adams, Director  
Department of Agriculture and Rural Development



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